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Re: Joint Petition for Arbitration of NewSouth Communications Corp., NuVox Communications, Inc., KMC Telecom V, Inc., KMC Telecom III LLC, and Xspedius [Affiliates] an Interconnection Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended
Docket No. 2005-57-C

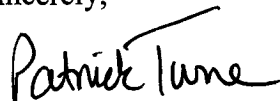
Dear Mr. Terreni:

BellSouth respectfully submits the following proposed schedule for resolution of this docket for the Commission's consideration:

March 23, 2006	Hearing contemplated by Order No. 2006-19
April 24, 2006	Deadline for filing briefs and/or proposed orders
June 12, 2006	Deadline for Commission Order on the merits

Based on discussions with counsel, it is my understanding that neither the Joint Petitioners nor the Office of Regulatory Staff object to this proposed schedule.

Sincerely,



Patrick W. Turner

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cc: All Parties of Record
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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COUNTY OF RICHLAND

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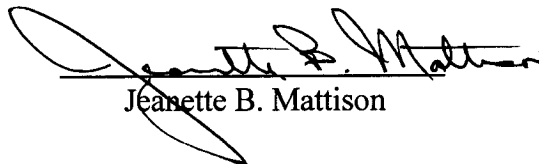
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